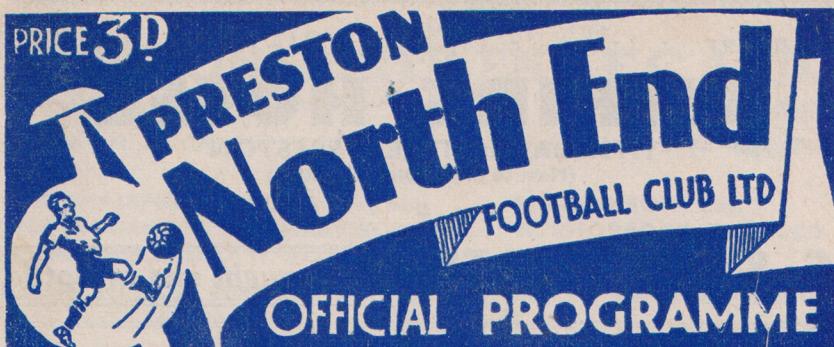


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On the other side of the picture it must be recorded that in our 25 post-war engagements with Manchester City both at home and away, we have emerged as winners on fourteen occasions, with two drawn disputes and nine wins for our Maine Road rivals—including an impressive double last season. This Eastertide brings us together in two vital encounters, and we must hopefully reflect that in the last 18 Cup and League visits to the City stronghold since February 1928, North End have won ten and lost only six times.

Those sky blue shirts were last in evidence at Deepdale on October 10th 1959, when "off colour" North End were trounced by five goals to one, our biggest home reverse for exactly seven years, when the other Manchester club were involved. In this sixteenth City League win here, the burly McAdams scored three times, two of the opposition goals being scored in the closing three minutes.

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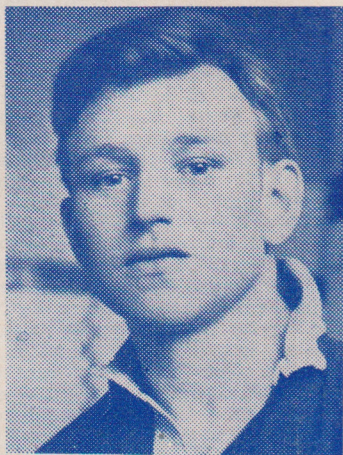
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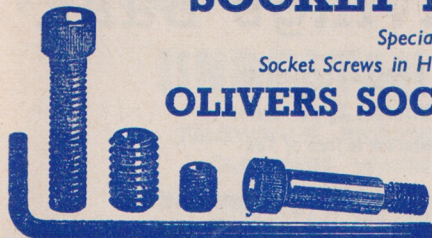
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2	ELSE	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	WILSON (R.)	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	CUNNINGHAM	—	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1	ROSS	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3	O'NEILL	—	—	28	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	WALTON	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	FULLAM	—	—	—	22	—	1	—	8	—	—	—
3	WYLIE	—	—	—	11	—	20	—	—	—	—	—
—	DUNN	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—
3	SINGLETON	—	—	—	—	29	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	SMITH	—	—	—	—	1	5	—	—	3	—	—
—	DAGGER	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—
—	MILNE	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
3	ALSTON	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	—	16	—	—
3	THOMPSON (P.)	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	15	—	13
3	SNEDDON	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	24	—
—	SPAVIN	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	—
3	MAYERS	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	—	—	—	8
—	LAMBERT	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	5
1	TAYLOR	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
2	THOMPSON (T.)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	—	—	—
—	WILSON (D.)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
1	O'FARRELL	—	—	—	1	—	8	—	1	—	—	—
1	KELLY	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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ALSTON	(1) 8	FULLAM	5	THOMPSON (P.)	(1) 5
SNEDDON ..	(1) 4	MAYERS	(1) 3	THOMPSON (T.)	(2) 2
SMITH	2	SHEFFIELD W. (o.g.) ..	1	LAMBERT	1
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Dagger	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	10	6	14	55	8
O'Farrell	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	40	33	10	101	2
Mayers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	34	37	19	90	23
Alston	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	7	10	19	6
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Sneddon	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	40	41	11
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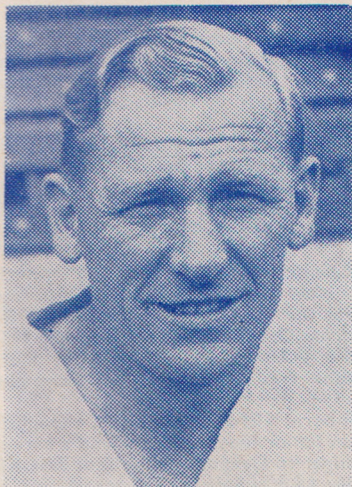


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Most of the City players are already well known to the Deepdale faithful, with a sprinkling of new Scottish faces and reputations. We must commence the presentation of the opposition with that automatic choice in goal—the colourful **BERT TRAUTMANN**, born Bremen in Germany, went to Maine Road from the nearby junior team St. Helens Town F.C. in October 1949, to succeed that lovable character Frank Swift.

Right back **BARRY BETTS** was born at Barnsley and secured by City from the Stockport County club on June 24th 1960. Now fully recovered from a former nagging slipped disc injury. Left back features the young Welshman **CLIFFORD SEARS** who comes from Rhosyllen, signed from Oswestry Town in January 1957. Left back **BILL LEIVERS** also comes into the reckoning if fit from recent injury, a former centre half with Chesterfield F.C., transferred to Maine Road in November 1953.

Right half and skipper is the Birmingham-born **KEN BARNES**, a thoughtful student of the game, a product of Birmingham junior football circles and a shrewd City signing some years ago. Centre half stranger to Deepdale is the Scot **JACKIE PLENDERLEITH**, a native of Bellshill; City paid Hibernian F.C. dearly for his signature on July 1st 1960. Left half **DAVID SHAWCROSS** is a local lad who has made steady progress via the ranks of the City junior teams; he joined the professional ranks on July 4th 1958.

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Right winger **COLIN BARLOW**, another local, aged 25 years, plays equally well at inside forward, ex-Maine Road junior, professional in December 1956. Outside right or left is **RAY SAMBROOK**, the Wolverhampton-born, former Coventry City star who attracted considerable attention before Maine Road became his destination. Inside right or centre forward brings the fabulous **DENIS LAW** for his first glimpse of Deepdale. Discovered in his native Aberdeen by Andrew Beattie's brother and whisked away to Huddersfield Town when Andrew was manager—the subject of big transfer talk until City stepped in with that record fee on March 15th 1960. A tireless worker and inveterate goal-getter. **GEORGE HANNAH** comes into the forward reckoning, joined City just over two years ago from the Lincoln club, better known when with Newcastle United from 1949 until 1957. Born Liverpool, but came into English football from the Irish Linfield F.C. club.

Another big Scottish signing may be seen as leader of the attack, **GERRY BAKER**, born in New York of all places, secured from St. Mirren F.C. on November 2nd 1960. Brother of the England and Hibernian centre forward Joe Baker. Inside left may feature that well known little goal poacher **JOE HAYES**, a versatile performer who hails from Bolton, a former Bolton junior league player, and former England Under-23's selection. Now pronounced fit after a groin injury sustained in training.

Left winger **CLIVE COLBRIDGE**, born Hull 26 years ago, with four League clubs prior to the Maine Road outfit—from Leeds United in May 1952, to York City in 1955, thence to Workington Town in 1957, on to Crewe Alexandra in October 1958, finally to City in May 1959. Also in the reckoning for the outside left position is the local-born **DAVE WAGSTAFFE**, another product of the Manchester City junior organisation, seen here this season in the F.A. Youth Cup competition. Recently out through indisposition, he signed professional on May 16th 1960.

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7-15	30—Arsenal.....h	2	0
Sept.	3—West Bromwich A...h	2	1
"	6—Burnley.....a	0	5
"	10—Birmingham City.....a	3	1
7-15	13—Burnley.....h	2	3
"	17—Sheffield Wednesday h	2	2
"	24—Fulham.....h	0	2
Oct.	1—Blackpool.....h	1	0
"	8—Everton.....a	0	0
"	15—Blackburn Rovers ...h	2	0
"	22—West Ham United...a	2	5
"	29—Chelsea.....h	0	2
Nov.	5—(1) Leicester City...a	2	5
"	12—Aston Villa.....h	1	1
"	19—Wolverhampton W. a	0	3
Dec.	3—Manchester United...a	0	1
"	10—Tottenham Hotspur h	0	1
"	17—Newcastle United...a	0	0
"	24—Nottingham Forest...h	0	2
"	26—Nottingham Forest...h	0	1
"	31—Cardiff City.....h	1	1
1961			
Jan.	7—(3) Accrington S.....h	1	1
"	9—(3) Accrington S.....a	4	0
"	14—West Bromwich A...a	1	3
"	21—Birmingham City.....h	2	3
"	28—(4) Swansea T. a	1	2
Feb.	4—Sheffield Wednesday a	1	5
"	11—Fulham.....h	2	0
"	18—(5) Blackpool.....a	1	0
"	25—Everton.....h	1	0
Mar.	4—(6) Blackburn Rovers a	0	1
"	11—West Ham United...h	4	0
"	18—(S.F.) Chelsea.....a	1	1
"	25—Leicester City.....h	0	0
"	31—Manchester City.....a		
April	1—Tottenham Hotspur a		
11-0	3—Manchester City.....h		
"	8—Wolverhampton W. h		
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	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
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Sheffield W.	34	21	9	4	68	35	51
Wolves	36	21	7	8	90	66	49
Burnley	32	17	5	10	83	58	39
Everton	35	16	5	14	66	63	37
Blackburn R.	35	14	9	12	67	63	37
Aston Villa	34	14	8	12	65	62	36
Arsenal	35	13	9	13	66	68	35
Leicester City.....	32	14	6	12	65	55	34
Cardiff City.....	34	13	8	13	52	62	34
Manchester U.	34	13	7	14	65	66	33
West Brom.....	36	14	4	18	56	66	32
Nottingham F.	34	12	7	15	49	61	31
Chelsea	34	12	7	15	80	81	31
Birmingham C.	34	12	6	16	53	69	30
Fulham	35	12	5	18	59	81	29
West Ham	34	12	5	17	68	75	29
Bolton W.	34	10	8	16	49	60	28
Manchester C.	33	10	7	16	62	77	27
Newcastle U.....	35	9	8	18	75	97	26
Blackpool	34	9	7	18	58	64	25
North End	34	9	7	18	35	55	25

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	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Sheffield W.	34	20	7	7	63	44	47
Burnley	34	20	6	8	72	42	46
Blackburn R.	34	20	4	10	78	53	44
Bolton W.	34	18	5	11	71	52	41
Wolves	34	17	7	10	87	56	41
Liverpool	32	18	5	9	71	44	41
Newcastle U.....	37	16	9	12	61	60	41
Derby County	33	15	9	9	62	39	39
West Brom.....	34	15	8	11	74	57	38
Bury.....	35	17	4	14	66	66	38
Aston Villa	35	15	7	13	60	50	37
Huddersfield	33	13	7	13	63	53	33
Blackpool	34	11	11	12	61	50	33
Sheffield U.....	33	13	4	16	61	58	30
Everton	34	10	10	14	52	65	30
North End	35	9	11	15	63	61	29
Manchester C.	34	12	5	17	53	72	29
Manchester U.	31	10	4	17	44	58	24
Leeds United	31	7	8	16	44	81	22
Stoke City	31	7	7	17	27	46	21
Barnsley	34	7	6	21	51	87	20
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